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Student ASE Evaluation for Yuchao Liu Department of Mathematics

MATH 10B - Calculus II (Gaddis, Jason) Fall 2013

Number of Evaluations Submitted: 38 Number of Students Enrolled: 285

- 1. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor was well organized and prepared for class.
- 16 (42.1%): Strongly Agree
- 17 (44.7%): Agree
- 4 (10.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Disagree
- 1 (2.6%): Strongly Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

2. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor presented course material clearly and answered questions accurately in class.

- 8 (21.1%): Strongly Agree
- 19 (50.0%): Agree
- 6 (15.8%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 3 (7.9%): Disagree
- 2 (5.3%): Strongly Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

3. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor encouraged students to ask questions and participate in class/section.

- 9 (23.7%): Strongly Agree
- 10 (26.3%): Agree
- 15 (39.5%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 1 (2.6%): Disagree
- 3 (7.9%): Strongly Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Not Applicable

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4. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor interacted well with students and treated them with respect and courtesy.

 20 (52.6%):
 Strongly Agree

 16 (42.1%):
 Agree

 1 (2.6%):
 Neither Agree Nor Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Disagree

 1 (2.6%):
 Strongly Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Not Applicable

5. The Teaching Assistant/Tutor did not just provide answers, but taught students how to

 12 (31.6%):
 Strongly Agree

 21 (55.3%):
 Agree

 3 (7.9%):
 Neither Agree Nor Disagree

 1 (2.6%):
 Disagree

 1 (2.6%):
 Strongly Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Not Applicable

solve problems.

6. The section was useful and helped with the rest of the course.

Strongly Agree
Agree
Neither Agree Nor Disagree
Disagree
Strongly Disagree
Not Applicable

7. The sections were interesting and enjoyable.

 4 (10.5%):
 Strongly Agree

 5 (13.2%):
 Agree

 18 (47.4%):
 Neither Agree Nor Disagree

 6 (15.8%):
 Disagree

 5 (13.2%):
 Strongly Disagree

 0 (0.0%):
 Not Applicable

8. I would recommend this Teaching Assistant/Tutor to other students.

- 6 (15.8%): Strongly Agree
- 10 (26.3%): Agree
- 11 (28.9%): Neither Agree Nor Disagree
- 11 (28.9%): Disagree
- 0 (0.0%): Strongly Disagree

9. Do you have any other comments to add to your evaluation? *Please provide any additional constructive comments*

- Can be hard to understand
- Did a great job working out problems step by step
- Good TA, he explains everything, but hard to understand through accent
- Got confused easily during problems. Frequently said things like "I don't know if that's right...but you get the idea."
- Great explanations.
- Had great reviews of all the material and for the quizzes/exams. Really prepared us for the quizzes and exams. His accent was pretty hard to understand, but once you get used to it he was a great TA.
- He is funny :D I feel like I can ask any question and he will help me!
- He really does help to better our understanding of the materials, but his accent is a setback since at times I cannot understand what he was trying to say. Other than that, he helps to pinpoint what you really need to know and clear some confusion as to why you get the wrong answers on homework/quizzes/midterms.
- He was a nice enough TA and I liked him but his teaching style was not always the best and it was sometimes difficult to understand what he was saying.
- He's a little hard to understand because of his heavy accent, but otherwise he is very knowledgeable and a good teacher.
- His English was a bit hard to understand, but he was friendly and helpful.
- I couldn't understand his speech at times, but he organized things well and put things on the board so I was never lost. I did not attend section regularly, and went to a different section because of speech comprehension issues.
- I just couldn't understand his accent. Nice fellow though
- It is a bit difficult to understand Yuchao when he is explaining the problems for math 10b. He knows his stuff and his method for explaining a problem are good.
- It was nearly impossible to understand much of what he said based on his accent and language barrier.
- It was very difficult to understand what he was saying. I usually just went to see my quizzes and midterms. In fairness, this class was mostly review for me anyway, so there wasn't much I really had to ask for help on. Nice enough guy, though!
- Something that can't be changed is his accent, but that is just a personal issue. Otherwise the sections have been invaluable for the key concepts that normally take Gaddis several lectures to discuss.
- The T.A. was not clear when explaining problems. He was confusing.

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